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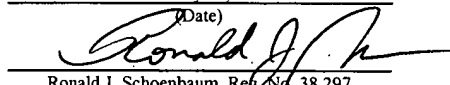
IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants : Carter, et al.
Appl. No. : 09/853,904
Filed : May 11, 2001
For : PATIENT TELEMETRY
DEVICE WITH AUTO-
COMPENSATION FOR
IMPEDANCE CHANGES IN
LEADSET ANTENNA
Examiner : UNKNOWN
Group Art Unit : 3736

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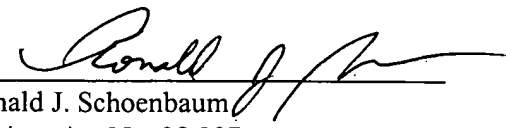
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Dear Sir:

Enclosed for filing in the above-identified application are the following documents:

- (X) An Information Disclosure Statement;
- (X) A PTO Form 1449 listing eleven (11) references, ten of which are enclosed; and
- (X) A return prepaid postcard.

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Enclosed is form PTO-1449 listing eleven (11) references, ten of which are enclosed. The remaining reference is a portion of the present application, and therefore is not enclosed.

The present application is part of a family of U.S. patent applications that are based on the same technical disclosure. The family includes application numbers 09/854,169; 09/853,645; 09/853,904; 09/853,505 and 09/854,168.

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Respectfully submitted,

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